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**VIA, ELECTRONIC FILING**

The Honorable Jocelyn Boyd  
Chief Clerk and Administrator  
The Public Service Commission of South Carolina  
101 Executive Center Drive  
Columbia, South Carolina 29210

Re: • **Docket 2017-351-E**  
• **Confirmation of Settlement**

Dear Ms. Boyd:

Please refer to Commission Directive Order No. 2018-4-H, issued in this Docket. This correspondence confirms the settlement reported in the Directive Order referenced above, dated January 5, 2018. Accordingly, this Docket may be closed with prejudice. Counsel for Duke Energy Carolinas, LLC, consents to this confirmation.

Please notify the undersigned if you there is anything else you may need.

Respectfully Submitted,

/s/\_\_\_\_\_  
Richard L. Whitt

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## CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

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